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MARBLE CLIFF QUARRIES DUMP 3101 TRABUE ROAD COLUMBUS, OHIO

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# 1.0 INTRODUCTION

Under Contract No. 68-W8-0084, Work Assignment No. 35-5JZZ, PRC Environmental Management, Inc. (PRC), has evaluated the Marble Cliff Quarries Dump (MCQD) site in Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, as a potential candidate for the National Priorities List (NPL) and has prepared this focused site inspection prioritization (FSIP) report. Using the Hazard Ranking System (HRS), PRC performed FSIP activities for the site to determine if, or to what extent, it poses a threat to human health and the environment. This report presents the results of PRC's evaluation and summarizes the site conditions and targets pertinent to the migration and exposure pathways associated the MCQD site. Information was obtained from a screening site inspection (SSI) report prepared by U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) contractor, Ecology and Environment, Inc. (E&E); a site reconnaissance; EPA Region 5 files; Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (OEPA) files; Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) files; and the City of Columbus, Ohio, files. Also, on July 28, 1994, PRC conducted a site reconnaissance to gather additional information. During the inspection, PRC interviewed Mr. John Atkinson, the quarry superintendent, and photographed various site features.

This report has six sections, including this introductory section. Section 2.0 describes the site. Section 3.0 discusses site operations and history. Section 4.0 discusses previous investigations of the site. Section 5.0 provides information about the four migration pathways (groundwater migration, surface water migration, soil exposure, and air migration) that can be scored. Section 6.0 summarizes conditions at the site.

## 2.0 SITE DESCRIPTION

The MCQD site is an inactive landfill located about 4,000 feet north of Trabue Road at 3101 Trabue Road, Columbus, Norwich Township, Franklin County, Ohio (40° 00' 20" N latitude, 83° 05' 18" W longitude). The MCQD landfill covers about 1.5 acres and began operations in 1950. The site is part of a property currently owned by Specialty Restaurant Corporation (SRC) of Anaheim, California, and is leased to American Aggregates Corporation (American) of Xenia, Ohio. The landfill boundaries were delineated during a June 12, 1990, E&E SSI sampling event by American employees who worked at the landfill when it was active. However, because the

boundaries delineated encompass an area of about 40 acres, the boundaries may be incorrect. The site's approximate location is shown in Figure 1.

The MCQD site is bordered on the north and northwest by an active quarry operated by American, on the west by Dublin Road, on the south by the inactive Marble Cliff Quarries sanitary landfill, and on the east and northeast by a steep bank leading down to the Scioto River. In addition, south of Trabue Road and southeast of the Marble Cliff Quarries sanitary landfill is another landfill, the Earthco Demolition Dump (Earthco). The approximate locations of the active quarry, the MCQD site, the sanitary landfill, and the Earthco landfill are shown in Figure 2.

The area around the MCQD site is used for a variety of purposes. Industrial areas exist northwest of the site, and rural areas exist southwest of the site. In addition, residential areas exist east of the site and across the Scioto River. In general, with the exception of the Scioto River to the east, the site is surrounded by active or reclaimed quarrying operations.

The topography of the site is relatively flat with the exception of an east-to-west manmade escarpment and numerous small mounds. The site layout is shown in Figure 3. The escarpment separates the northern portion of the site from the southern portion and represents an elevation change of about 40 feet. The small mounds are piles of flume sand from quarrying operations. Flume sand is fine-grained material recovered from settling ponds. Flume sand and flume ponds are also present in other areas on and around the site. The eastern portion of site slopes steeply about 70 feet down to the Scioto River. Although the site boundaries extend to the Scioto River, the landfill portion of the site is located about 500 feet west of the river. The site is above the 100-year flood plain (Federal Emergency Management Agency 1987). The site is well vegetated with grass, brush, and trees (see Photograph No. 5, Appendix). Some areas, however, are less vegetated than others because of flume sand deposits.

South of the escarpment in the western portion of the site is an area of exposed waste (see Photographs No. 1 through 4). The exposed waste consists of rusted, partial drums and solid waste that covers an area of less than 0.5 acre. Most of the drums were in poor condition and were empty. Several drums contained unknown solid material (Photograph No. 3). The exposed solid waste

# ATTACHMENT

# RESIDENTIAL WELL LOGS

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Photograph No. 1 Orientation: West

Description: Area of exposed waste showing rusted drums

Location: Exposed waste area Date: July 28, 1994



Photograph No. 2 Orientation: North

Description: Exposed waste area showing bulk waste material

Location: Exposed waste area

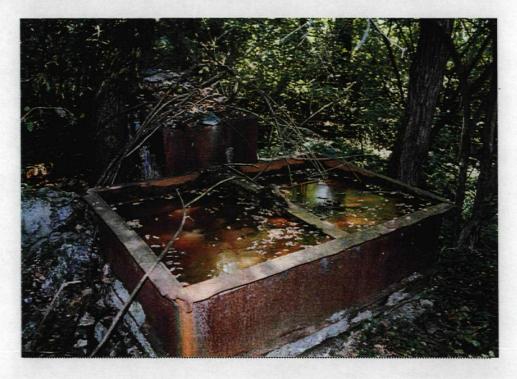
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Photograph No. 3 Location: Exposed waste area

Orientation: South Date: July 28, 1994

Description: Exposed waste area showing rusted drum with solid waste inside



Photograph No. 4 Orientation: East

Description: Tanks full of water and leaves in exposed waste area



Photograph No. 5
Orientation: North
Location: South of site
Date: July 28, 1994

Description: Photograph of landfill area showing well established vegetation



Photograph No. 6
Orientation: Northwest
Description: Drainage pipe near the Scioto River

Location: Bank of Scioto River Date: July 28, 1994



Photograph No. 7 Orientation: North

Description: Water discharged to the Scioto River via drain pipe

Location: Bank of Scioto River

Date: July 28, 1994



Photograph No. 8

Orientation: West

Location: Maintenance building
Date: July 28, 1994

Description: Gas monitoring well GSW-1 near maintenance building

consists primarily of light blue-green plastic or resin. Other small pieces of plastic and synthetic fabric are also scattered about the area.

During the 1990 E&E SSI sampling event, it was noted that site access was not controlled. Numerous bicycle and motorcycle trails indicated that trespassers frequently used the area. To counter the trespassing, which American acknowledged has always been a concern, American recently switched security firms and took an aggressive stance on prosecuting repeat offenders. Security personnel now patrol the property, especially the southern portion around the MCQD site, from 3:00 p.m. Friday to 11:00 p.m. Sunday.

## 3.0 SITE OPERATIONS AND HISTORY

The MCQD site has one source associated with it: a landfill that was in operation from about 1950 to 1961. The property was owned by Kaufman Investment Company (Kaufman) of Columbus, Ohio (Kaufman 1986). The landfill was used by Columbus Coated Fabrics (CCF) of Columbus, Ohio. Notification of Hazardous Waste Site forms submitted by both Kaufman and CCF for the MCQD landfill list the following waste type accepted at the landfill: organics, inorganics, heavy metals, paints, and pigments (EPA 1981; E&E 1991). Waste was deposited in the landfill in drums or as bulk material. The MCQD landfill is located in a "mudseam" within the surrounding bedrock. A mudseam is a pre-glacial drainage erosion feature later filled with typically fine-grained glacial debris. According to a former worker, the landfill probably extends to a depth of about 60 feet below ground surface (bgs) (E&E 1991).

During Kaufman's ownership of the property, the land was also leased to Medusa Aggregates for quarrying. The agreement with Kaufman that allowed CCF to use the landfill required CCF to accept liability for the MCQD site. Borden, Inc. (Borden), of Columbus, Ohio, apparently assumed liability for the site when it bought CCF in 1961. Sometime before Kaufman sold the site, American began leasing it and continued quarrying operations. SRC purchased the site from Kaufman on December 26, 1985. The site is currently owned by SRC and leased to American.

TABLE 1 FIT SOIL/SEDIMENT SAMPLING RESULTS

Sample No.	S1	S2	S3	S4	<b>S</b> 5	S6	S7	S8	S9	S10	S11
Date Collected	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90	6/12/90
Time Collected	1250	1320	1330	1500	1510	1450	1530	1545	1600	1600	1630
CLP <sup>a</sup> Organic Traffic Report Number	EKN65	EKN66	EKN67	EKN68	EKN69	EKN70	EKN71	EKN72	EKN73	EKN74	EKN75
CLP Inorganic Traffic Report Number	MEKN50	MEKN51	MEKN52	MEKN53	MEKN54	MEKN55	MEKN56	MEKN57	MEKN59	MEKN59	MEKN60
				Compound	s (values in µg/	kg) <sup>b</sup>					
				Volatile O	rganic Compou	inds					
Methylene chloride	65J	60J	<b>70</b> J	74J	673	14Ј	ע 5	49J	21J	22J	47J
Carbon disulfide	_c		1.01J	-	2.5		_			-	_
1,2-Dichloroethane	2Ј			_	-	1				_	_
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	2Ј	-	1Ј	21	2J			-	3Ј	21	
Trichloroethene	4J	-		-	-	-	-	-	-		_
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Benzene	2Ј		-	-	-			-			
Tetrachloroethene	16J		-	-	21	<b>-</b> .		-	3Ј	_	_
Toluene	13	2J	3J	1J	2,1	<del>-</del>	23		2Ј		
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Chlorobenzene	17	<u> </u>	-	-	<u>-</u>		-	-		_	
				Semivolatile	Organic Comp	ounds					
Phenanthrene						260J	110J	510Ј			_
Anthracene						100J	-	180J			-
Fluoranthene		1903	-	-	1	420J		490J	-		-
Pyrene		190J	-	_		,920	140Ј	1,300			
Benzo[a]anthracene		93J		-	<u> </u>	680	-	.550J			
Chrysene		140J		-		920	100Ј	560J			
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate				_			51,000	-	93J		-
Di-n-octylphthalate		·				7	12,000	-			
Benzo[b]fluoranthene						2,000		3,600			
Benzo[k]fluoranthene						2,300	-	·			

# TABLE 1 (Continued) FIT SOIL/SEDIMENT SAMPLING RESULTS

Sample No.	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	<b>S7</b>	S8	S9	S10	. S11
Nickel	29.9	31.6	9.7	23.8	18.6	14.2	26.8	8.7B	19.7	12.6	34.1
Potassium	943BJ	2,880	342BJ	1,370B	319BJ	243BJ	1,610	258BJ	521BJ	490BJ	2,160
Selenium	_		-	;		_	0.73B	-		-	0.49B
Sodium	170B	88B	168B	212B	193B	212B	170B	193B	178B	225B	126B
Thallium	. 0.52В			_			0.73B		- [		_
Vanadium	11.4B	36.7	1.5B	18.5	2.4B	1.8B	21.9	2.7B	3B	2B	31.6
Zinc	77.4	89.7	25.3	64.8	63.7	37.1	4,300	33.7	58.6	39.1	89.6
Cyanide	1.8				-		- [	-	-	-	_

#### Notes:

- CLP = Contract Laboratory Program
- $\mu g/kg = Microgram per kilogram$
- c -= Not detected
- Tentatively identified compound (TIC) Chemical Abstracts Service (CAS) numbers included in parentheses if available.
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

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J Indicates an estimated value

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E Estimated or not reported value due to interference

N Spike recoveries outside quality control (QC) protocols, indicating possible

matrix problem; data may be biased high or low

+ Correlation coefficient for standard additions less than 0.995

Value is real, but is above instrument detection level and below contract-

required detection limit (CRDL)

J Value is above CRDL and is estimated value because of a QC protocol

Source: Modified from E&E 1991

clayey sand (PRC 1994c). The variability in the thickness of unconsolidated material is probably due in part to the irregular erosional surface of limestone bedrock underlying the unconsolidated material. The Devonian-aged Columbus Limestone bedrock unit that underlies the site is the target for quarry operations in the site's vicinity (ODNR 1981). This unit is about 170 feet thick and overlies the Silurian- and Devonian-aged Monroe Limestone. Currently, the deepest portion of the nearby active quarry is 150 feet bgs. According to the quarry superintendent, 150 feet bgs is the maximum depth to which the quarry will be excavated (PRC 1994d).

Two separate aquifers exist in the MCQD site area. The first is within the unconsolidated glacial material, and the second is within the Columbus Limestone. Groundwater in the unconsolidated material is encountered at about 8 feet bgs, as measured in GSW-1. This aquifer is not used as a groundwater source. The second aquifer at the site is within the Columbus Limestone and is used as a groundwater source. According to well logs, static water levels in the Columbus Limestone vary from 15 to 83 feet bgs, depending on the distance from the Scioto River, with groundwater being shallower near the river. Computing groundwater elevations relative to mean sea level from the attached well logs show groundwater within the Columbus Limestone to be flowing primarily to the east and probably discharging to the Scioto River.

Aquifer interconnection appears to depend on distance from the Scioto River. As the land surface slopes to the Scioto River valley, the upper, unconsolidated aquifer slopes with the land surface until it intersects the less sloping Columbus Limestone aquifer near the Scioto River. Although well logs indicate significant deposits of clay above the Columbus Limestone aquifer that may act as a confining layer, the inherent variability of unconsolidated glacial deposits makes it likely that communication between the two aquifers occurs at some distance from the Scioto River.

No analytical evidence exists to demonstrate a release of hazardous substances to groundwater. However, because groundwater at a depth of 8 feet bgs is probably in contact with landfill material which extends to a depth of about 60 feet bgs, hazardous substances may have been released to groundwater.

About 2,900 people are potentially exposed to contamination from the MCQD site through the groundwater migration pathway (Frost Associates 1994). This number is relatively low for a major

these surface water bodies (Envirotech 1994). One other surface water body may exist near the MCQD site. A natural depression exists south of the site. During the 1990 SSI visit, this depression contained water, and samples were collected from its sediment. This surface water body was not apparent during the 1994 site visit, and, according to a site representative, has not existed for several years (PRC 1994d).

An additional migration route for the surface water pathway is the groundwater to surface water route. As discussed above in Section 5.1, groundwater flow near the site appears to be east towards the Scioto River. Therefore, it is likely that groundwater discharges to the Scioto River. This scenario is the most common type of groundwater-surface water interface. Because groundwater at the site is present at only 8 feet bgs and is apparently in contact with waste material in the landfill, groundwater migrating from the site and discharging to the Scioto River is a likely contaminant migration pathway.

#### 5.2.2 Surface Water Releases

During PRC's 1994 site reconnaissance, a drainage pipe near the site was observed discharging into the Scioto River (see Photographs No. 6 and 7). The approximate location of this drainage pipe is about 1,000 feet southeast of the site and is shown in Figure 2. The material discharging from the pipe appeared to be water with a high iron content. The probable high iron content was indicated by the orange stains on nearby rocks. No oily sheen was observed on the water discharging from the pipe. However, a slight film was noticed on the Scioto River near where the water entered the river.

It is not known where the water discharging from the pipe originates. A small depression exists directly inland from the discharge point, and the pipe may be an outlet for a system that drains the depression. Nevertheless, because of the close proximity of the discharge point to the MCQD site, it is possible that hazardous substances associated with the MCQD site may be released to the Scioto River via this pipe.

of the site. Targets of potential exposure to contaminated surface soils are limited to 4,807 people residing within 1 mile of the site (Frost Associates 1994). However, a large portion of this population resides in the City of Upper Arlington, which is separated from the site by the Scioto River.

#### 5.4 AIR MIGRATION PATHWAY

During the 1990 SSI, hand-held air monitoring instruments did not detect any releases to air. Although the MCQD landfill is generating at least some explosive gas, this gas has so far been detected only in subsurface soils. In addition, the concentration of explosive gas detected has declined to zero over the past year. Because the site is heavily vegetated, a low potential for releases of contamination through airborne particulates is present. Therefore, no releases to off-site areas through the air migration pathway are suspected. The 133,960 people living within 4 miles of the site comprise the population potentially exposed to air contamination from the site (Frost Associates 1994).

#### 6.0 SUMMARY

The primary migration pathway affecting the potential for contaminant migration from the MCQD site is the surface water migration pathway. It is possible that hazardous substances associated with the MCQD site could be released to the Scioto River via a pipe discharging water collected from an unknown location. The other migration pathways do not contribute significantly to the potential for contaminant migration from the MCQD site.

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# APPENDIX SITE RECONNAISSANCE PHOTOGRAPHS MARBLE CLIFF QUARRIES DUMP COLUMBUS, OHIO

(Five Sheets)

